

Letter from Loudoun County.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]
LEESBURG, July 8.—Our farmers have done their harvesting, and in Broad Run, Leesburg, Mass. and Mount Gilead townships the judgment is that it is the best crop of wheat since the war. This is partially so of Lovettsville township, but Jefferson township, which lies between Mercer and Lovettsville, has a partial failure, on account of the fly having injured the straw. The quality everywhere is good to prime. The crop is said to be especially fine in Broad Run township, in which the lands are valued upon an average at \$13 per acre as against \$45 per acre in all the townships above the Catoctin Mountain.

There has been an abundance of cherries, strawberries, and the dewberries and blackberries are a decided failure, except on the sides of the Blue Ridge.

The hay crop is late, but promises to be the finest since the war, and so much may be said of the cat crop. Rye in Loudoun is a mere circumstance.

The early gardens have not been abundantly productive, but the promise for roasting ears, tomatoes, late cabbage and potatoes is very flattering.

Turnips are a thing of the future, as it is a rule in our parts to sow the seed on the "25th of July wet or dry," and to repeat the sowing on the 10th of August, and on the 10th of September on very fine lands. The last sowing is for small tender bulbs for table use.

Your readers may think that Aliquis knows nothing about these things, but they should know that a Virginia boy, raised in a large family, has a knowledge of several things about a garden, especially when he has been a farmer for several years of his life, and always considered his garden equal to any ten acres on the farm. He has moreover a fondness for all these things, and has put in practice sundry hints that he has caught from agricultural papers. Let others try the sowing of turnip seed as recommended: Rutabagas should have been in the ground just before these late rains, and all kinds of roots should have liberal sprinkling of ashes, and it is not a bad plan to mix an equal quantity of gunpowder with the seed of turnips from this date until sowing time, in order that they may be impregnated with the odor of the sulphur, and perhaps quickened into life by the nitro and sustained by the carbon. It helps also to support the seed more thickly over the ground, and thus prevent growing, which interferes so much with the growth of the plant.

Your readers have had as many vegetables as they can digest properly in these cholera times, but if they will have them well cooked there will be no danger from any disease of the bowels.

Letter from Prince William.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]
BRENTSVILLE, PRINCE WM. CO., July 9.—Prince William, generally, celebrated the 4th as a holiday. A picnic and tournament was held at Woodbridge, where everything passed off quietly, all enjoying themselves. The charge to the Knights was delivered in eloquent and significant language by R. R. Farr, esq., of Fairfax C. H., and the coronation address by James Sangster, esq., in his usual effective manner and happiness of expression. At Potomac City, there was a grand gathering from Maryland, Alexandria, Washington, Frederickburg and other places; mirth and dancing were the order of the day. At Bull Run Mills, on the borders of Prince William and Stafford counties, the fair daughters and noble sons of the same counties mingled joyfully in the dance. After dinner all adjourned from the pavilion to witness the contest in the lists. The Knights were charged by J. J. Davies, of Brentsville. The coronation address, delivered by B. D. Suttie, esq., of Stafford, was welcomed by the continued plaudits of the spectators. Manassas was employed in giving a Sunday school celebration. The exercises at Nokesville have been already published in the Gazette.

Yesterday was the last term of our County Court under the present system. This being a grand jury term, an indictment was found against Chas. Latum, colored, for assault and battery. There were no Commonwealth cases tried and but little of other business transacted.

The report of the commissioners upon the proposed bridge at Occoquan was recommended for further report on the 15th inst.

A commission of Justices and Physicians held a consultation on the condition of Jack Evans, colored, who has been confined in jail for some time for threatening to kill Z. A. Kankey, esq., of Neabsco Mill. After some deliberation it was determined to send him to the asylum at Williamsburg or Staunton.

There was a meeting held to nominate candidates to the convention to be held at Richmond in August. The following gentlemen were nominated and promised to attend:—A. H. Feuchsel, Dumfries; Z. A. Kankey, Occoquan; Lawrence Cook, Coles; Maj. Thornton, Brentsville; B. F. Lewis, Manassas; and Maj. Hunter Johnson, Haymarket.

A Wedding.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]
WARRENTON, VA., July 9.—The marriage in St. James' Church, Warrenton, on Tuesday, July 8, by Rev. Jno. S. Lindsay, of the Hon. James Keith, Judge of the 11th Judicial District of Virginia, to Miss Lillias Gordon, fourth daughter of Arthur A. Morson, esq., of Richmond, was witnessed by a large and handsome company, with more than ordinary interest. The church, tasteful and symmetrical in itself, had been, as if by fairy hands, rendered all the more beautiful and suitable for the gala occasion by decorations of the most exquisite flowers. In the front of the chancel was placed a massive arch of Trian lilies, reaching from the floor, and tall enough for the minister to stand beneath as he joined the happy pair, and besides this, rare and beautiful flowers, woven into festoons and marriage bells, adorned different parts of the chancel, presenting a most picturesque appearance. The grotto of Egeria could not have been prettier. Although a hard rain had been falling all the morning the house was filled, at the appointed hour, almost to overflowing, and as the wedding march swelled melodiously from the organ, each face beaming with interest, turned to the door to see the bridal party enter. The lovely bride elect leaning upon the arm of her brother, Mr. John Morson, of Richmond, and preceded by her sister, Miss Maggie Morson, with Judge Thomas Smith, and her brother, Mr. William Morson, of Warrenton, with Miss Minnie Wolford, and followed by Judge Keith with her mother, Mrs. Morson, walked slowly up the aisle, to the front of the altar, where the nuptials were solemnly pronounced. After the ceremony the bridal party went immediately to the depot and set out on their Northern tour amid the congratulations and God's blessings of their numerous friends and relatives. We should be pardoned for thus dwelling upon this unostentatious wedding, but seldom in our land has a more distinguished bride-groom wedded a more lovely bride.

To attempt a eulogium on Judge Keith would require ourselves strangers, so widely is he known, and so much is he admired, and to attempt to praise the bride would show our dullness in description. To their happiness let us say esto perpetua!

ROGERS.

The receipts from customs throughout the United States for the week ending June 30th amounted to \$2,500,000.

LOCAL NEWS.

PROPERTY SALES.—Green & Wise, real estate agents, sold to-day, for C. W. Wattles, Commissioner, the following property:—
Lot of ground on west side of Fayette st., between King and Cameron sts., 19,850 feet, belonging to L. H. Harrison, to W. H. Smith, for \$90.

House and lot on west side of Washington st., between King and Cameron sts., 24 by 66 feet, belonging to R. E. Buchanan, to E. Kemp, for \$75.

Lot of ground on east side of Fairfax st., between King and Prince sts., 32 feet 9 inches by 125 feet 9 inches, belonging to Hugh Latham, to Robert L. Edelin, for \$825.

House and lot on east side of Payne st., between King and Cameron sts., 13,880 feet, belonging to C. L. Richards, to Robert L. Edelin, for \$900.

House and lot on north side of Queen st., between Royal and Fairfax sts., 45 feet 2 inches by 86 feet 8 inches, belonging to A. W. Eastlick, to W. H. Smith, for \$1,000.

A tract of land in Fairfax county, 25 acres, belonging to W. B. Nalls, to Jesse Woodward and others at \$19 per acre—\$475.

House and lot on west side of Royal st., 25 feet by 123 feet 5 inches, belonging to Margaret Rafferty, to E. Gentzberger, for \$355.

Lot of ground south side of Franklin st., between Water and Fairfax sts., belonging to Mary O'Sullivan, to Jesse Woodward and others, for \$100.

One undivided half of House and lot on east side of Washington st., between King and Prince sts., 20 feet by 123 feet 5 inches, belonging to C. B. Shirley, to Edgar Shirley, for \$451.

POLICE REPORT.—The following cases have been reported at police headquarters since yesterday:—Peter Epton, one of the crew of the schooner E. L. Barnes, for disorderly conduct, was fined and discharged. Augusta Harris, Grace Johnson, Martha Butler and Harriet Butler, colored girls, for street walking and disorderly conduct, were fined and discharged. George W. Chaney, colored, for vagrancy, was sent to the work house for thirty days. The case of William Thomas Beach for an assault upon Lewis Roy, colored, was postponed. Jefferson Roberts, for keeping hogs within the Corporation limits, was fined and discharged. James Bradley, for keeping a dog without license, was fined and discharged. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Azeus Gilbert charged with abusing Lydia Welcome, both colored. P. O'Keef, for deserting the schooner J. P. Krantz, was committed to jail until the sailing of that vessel. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Lloyd W. Murphy on complaint of his wife, who charges him with abusing her, and beating and destroying her sewing machine. There were seven prisoners and two lodgers at the station house last night.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION OF THE M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.—Chas. P. Harmon, esq., corresponding secretary of the convention, was in this city yesterday. He anticipates a very large assemblage at their next year's meeting, to be held at Frederick City, Maryland, commencing on next Wednesday, the 10th inst. Arrangements have been made with the railroad companies by which all persons that are in attendance upon the convention, by paying full fair one way will be returned free of charge. Mr. H. has already nearly two hundred responses from delegates signifying their intention to be present; also from a number of ladies interested in the Sunday School work. Ample accommodations have been made by the hospitable people of Frederick for the entertainment of all who may be present. The delegates elected from the Washington street school are Rev. Dr. Little and Messrs. Wm. L. Padgett, F. S. Vanauken and W. A. Brawner. Those from the Village Chapel are Messrs. John Lambdin and B. W. Nalls.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PIC-NIC.—The Village Chapel Sunday School, now under the management of George R. Hill, esq., started from the front of the Chapel this morning in carriages and wagons, provided by the friends of the school, to spend the day in a beautiful grove about four miles from the city, where, no doubt, from the bountiful supply of good things in the baskets, and the many evidences of good cheer that were visible, the company, numbering over one hundred persons, will spend a day of pleasure never to be forgotten by many of the children. Scold has an enterprise been seen that had in it all of the elements of christian charity, and to all the good people working in this field the largest measure of success is desired.

COLORADO MASONS.—At a convention of the following Chapters of colored Royal Arch Masons, under the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter of Maryland; Jerusalem, Borekas and Adair, held in this city last October, a Grand Chapter was formed. Last night in the Grand Chapter hall, the most excellent Grand Holy Royal Arch Chapter for the State of Virginia was organized, and the following named officers duly installed: Past Grand High Priest, C. F. Priest; W. H. Triplet, Grand High Priest; John B. Montgomery, G. D. H. P.; Lewis Carter, G. K.; David Jones, G. S.; and the other Grand officers. The Chapter was then closed until the 10th of September.

CORPORATION COURT.—The July Quarterly term of the Corporation Court, Judge Lowe to preside, will commence on Monday next.

The following criminal cases are upon the docket for the term.

Com. vs. Walker Kelley; perjury; same vs. same; illegal gaming; same vs. A. H. Gordon, of Richmond, was witnessed by a large and handsome company, with more than ordinary interest. The church, tasteful and symmetrical in itself, had been, as if by fairy hands, rendered all the more beautiful and suitable for the gala occasion by decorations of the most exquisite flowers.

U. S. COURTS.—Both the U. S. Circuit and District Courts were in session a short time this morning but no business of public interest was transacted. A few orders in bankruptcy were entered in the District Court.

Messrs. Gaham, of Richmond, and Nichols, of Loudoun, qualified as practitioners and the latter, having received his appointment, qualified as U. S. Commissioner.

STABBING.—Yesterday morning two colored boys, became involved in a quarrel at the corner of Congress and Bridge streets, Georgetown, during which one plunged a knife into the breast of the other, entering between the sixth and seventh ribs and penetrating the right lung. His physician could not determine whether or not the wound would prove fatal. The assailant has been arrested.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, July 10, 11 a. m.
In the South Atlantic States, increasing southerly winds, cloudy weather and local rains. In Virginia, the Middle and Eastern States, falling barometer, increasing southeast and northeast winds, threatening weather and numerous local rains.

The Markets.

New York, July 10.—Stocks dull. Gold very quiet at 155. Money easy at 4 1/2. Flour firm. Wheat quiet and steady. Corn advancing. BALTIMORE, July 10.—Virginia consolidated, 50c; do, peckers 50c; West Virginia 104 bid to-day. Cotton quiet, low middlings 19. Flour steady. Wheat unchanged. Corn firm for southern; white Southern 85; yellow Southern 82; mixed Western 84; Western mixed 74 1/2; do, white 83 1/2. Rye unchanged. Hay unchanged.

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

The Loss of the City of Washington.
NEW YORK, July 10.—A five column statement of a City of Washington passenger, charges that the loss of the steamer is due to criminal carelessness of the officers and crew, and that they just barely escaped being engulfed. He says the load was never once and no one had any idea where the ship was. We had on board a captain as a passenger who had crossed the ocean scores of times. He frequently warned the chief officer that he was running too far northward, and advised him to run down a hundred miles or so to the southward to get the sun and see where they were. His advice was rudely declined. The second officer, I believe, coincided in this view.

No sight was taken for seven days, notwithstanding the vessel was going through the heavy fog at the rate of 12 or 13 knots an hour. Had she struck at night she would have gone down, or she had gone to the right or left two hundred yards she would have struck either Green Island or the reefs and a fearful loss of life ensued. The saloon passengers were most lively chatting or playing cards, when at half-past one p. m. the ship went full speed on Gulf Rock Shoal. She gave two slight bumps, and a tremendous tremor ran through her. No one had the slightest idea where the ship was. After the lapse of a half an hour of terrible confusion, the cannon firing, fog-burns blowing and women and children shrieking, a sailor cried, "I hear a human voice." A death like silence followed and soon two brave men, Cornelius Swanberg and Wm. Ferguson, who had put out from shore in a small boat, climbed up the side of the ship. The latter had risen from a sick bed. The work of disembarking immediately commenced under their guidance, with the three ships boats, the second officer standing at the gang-way of the ladder with a hatchet in his hand threatening to cut down any man who tried to get into the boats before the women. Meanwhile the bumping and scraping of the stern-post and rudder continued, arousing fears lest the ship would break in two. The steamer passengers, however, remained remarkably quiet and no attempt to rush was made. Some of the women displayed great presence of mind and heroism, sitting quite still till called upon to disembark. A young Irish girl came and asked the narrator whether she should ever see Castle Garden at all. On receiving an affirmative reply she wrapped an Ulster coat around her and gave him a kiss and descended to a small boat. Once all on shore the Germans and Poles gathered in one group and the Irish emigrants in another. All the neighboring barns and out-houses were soon occupied.

From New York.

NEW YORK, July 10.—The paintings in the Governor's room in the City Hall are for sale for \$1,000 for salary to a judicious person for \$1,000 for salary, obtained against the city by Judge McGuire.

On the arrival of the Washington train of the Pennsylvania Railroad yesterday two officials were arrested, supposed to be in combination with the conductors and gate keepers, to rob the company by failing to cancel and reselling passenger tickets.

On Thursday evening the woman known in connection with the Goodrich tragedy as Kate Stoddard, Amy Stone, Snow, Amy G. was arrested at Fulton ferry, Brooklyn. She declined to furnish a name, but the police on the subject of the tragedy.

His mother, who with a basket of flowers, was on the same train met young Walworth at Sing Sing yesterday and took final leave of him. The latter kept up his spirits and freely conversed with the lookers on, and upon receiving his "stripped suit" jokingly remarked, "I look as if I had got a base ball suit on." He will enter the shoe shop to-day in order to learn sufficient to become Chief Clerk in the Stock Department.

One million of gold is being put up for ship ment per Saturday's steamers.

The meeting of the Erie directors called for to-day for the election of officers was not held, no quorum being present. A meeting is called for the 16th.

There were thirteen bids for government gold to-day aggregating, \$2,705,000, at from 1.15 to 1.15 1/2.

The United States sloop of war, Brooklyn arrived here to-day from Bermuda.

The government sold \$1,000,000 gold at from 1.15 1/2 to 1.15 3/4.

Lord Gordon.

NEW YORK, July 10.—A Fort Garry Manitoba dispatch reports considerable excitement over the alleged attempted kidnapping of Lord Gordon of Erie notoriety. Two Minneapolis detectives, who attempted the arrest, have in turn been arrested by Gordon's friends and lodged in jail. Mayor Brockett, who arrived in court on Tuesday, was arrested on Gordon's evidence as being an instigator of the proceedings against him. Other arrests are expected and an examination of Gordon is going on.

Long Branch Races.

LONG BRANCH, July 10.—The weather is delightful for the fourth day's races. The track is in excellent condition and the attendance good. The first race was for the July stakes, value \$500, added to a sweep stakes of \$50 each, P. P., for two year olds, the second to receive \$100 and the third horse \$50 out of the stakes, three quarters of a mile. The race was won by King Amadeus in 1:18, beating Scratch second and Culpeper third.

Fatal Disturbance.

NEW YORK, July 10.—While the Emerald Association, of Greenpoint, were passing through the streets of that place yesterday on their return from a picnic, disturbances occurred and a large stone thrown by a boy aged 18, at a man accidentally struck a lad named Kelly, aged 9, crushing his skull and causing death. The slayer escaped.

Destructive Storm.

IOWA CITY, IOWA, July 10.—A wind and rain storm occurred here at 3 o'clock p. m. yesterday, accompanied by hail, which devastated the trees, orchards and crops over a limited area as effectually as a fire would have done. But four farms were so visited. The storm was remarkable for the completeness of its destructive effect and the narrowness of its range.

Claimants.

LONDON, July 10.—An advertisement appears in the Times this morning calling a meeting of all persons who have claims against the United States which arose after the terminal date fixed in the treaty of Washington, for the purpose of taking joint action for the advancement of their interests.

Cholera.

BERLIN, July 10.—A dispatch from Breslau says a violent type of cholera has appeared in that city. Thus far there have been eighteen cases, fourteen of which proved fatal. In the town of Lanterburg eight persons were stricken and four died.

Captured by the Carlists.

MADRID, July 10.—The Carlists have captured the town of San Guesa in the province of Navarre, twenty-five miles southeast of Pampuna and shot the tax collector.

Shipment of Specie.

NEW YORK, July 10.—The steamship Hollister sailing for Europe to-day takes out \$1,400,000 in specie, of which \$750,000 is gold coin and \$650,000 in silver bars.

Sumatra.

LONDON, July 10.—It is stated that eight

Turkish men-of-war are on the way to Sumatra to watch over the interests of the Sultan on that island.

The Arctic Expedition.

NEW YORK, July 10.—A St. John's (N. F.) special says that the Junata, which sailed for the Arctic regions amid much enthusiasm and excitement yesterday, will touch at Disco, on the coast of Greenland and then proceed to Upernivik. She will call at some of the intermediate settlements to procure dogs, sleds, &c. She has been encased in a coat of mail from stem to stern. Commander Braine and crew were in excellent health and spirit.

Bullion in the Bank of England.

LONDON, July 10.—4 p. m.—The bullion in the Bank of England has increased £38,000 during the past week.

Rate of Discount.

LONDON, July 10.—12.30 p. m.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England has been reduced one per cent. and is now five per cent.

Bullion in the Bank of France.

PARIS, July 10.—The bullion in the bank of France has decreased 43,000,000 francs during the past week.

The Tichborne case.

LONDON, July 10.—The case for the prosecution against the Tichborne claimant closed to-day and the trial adjourned until the 21st inst.

Incendiary Fire.

POUGHKEEPSIE, July 10.—An incendiary fire last night destroyed Collingwood, Miller & Co's, lumber yard. Loss \$18,000.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

J. S. Barbour, esq., president of the W. C. V. M. & G. S. R. R., and Maj. R. F. Mason, with a party of capitalists from Pennsylvania and several others from Baltimore, Washington and this city, left here on a special train this morning for a trip over the main line and Manassas branch of the road with a view of examining the rich deposits of iron ore to be found in the various counties through which the road passes, the capitalists being desirous, if practicable, of at once utilizing the ore, in which we hope they may be successful. Ample provision for the creature comforts were made.

An injunction was granted to-day by Judge Lowe upon the petition of G. L. Seaton, restraining C. W. Wattles, Commissioner, from selling the property advertised as belonging to Hugh Latham, decreed to be sold in the suit of Edelin et als. vs. the Mechanical Building Association of Alexandria, upon the ground that the petitioner had purchased the same from the U. S. Tax Commissioners under the direct tax law.

A disturbance occurred at the wharves of the American coal company, yesterday evening, among the crew of the schooner E. H. Barnes, lying there, who refused to do further duty on that vessel. They were, however, driven aboard by the police, with the exception of one, who was arrested and taken to the station house, but put on a tug boat at 4 o'clock this morning and sent to his vessel, which was then lying in the stream.

Meetings of the Radicals of the 1st and 2nd Wards, to appoint delegates to a County Convention to meet here on the 19th inst. for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Convention, will be held, the latter, 2nd Ward, at the house of John Travers, on Princess street, near the Fairfax street depot, to-night, and the former to-morrow night in the colored Old-Fellows' hall, on south Columbus street.

The steamer Keyport, whose shaft was broken yesterday, as mentioned in the Gazette of that date, started last night for Baltimore, in tow of the tug Samuel Gedney, for repairs. The Vanderbilt took her place on the Quantico line this morning. In consequence of the accident to the Keyport her regular moonlight excursion trip to-morrow night will be necessarily omitted.

The young man Stansbury, who was hurt by an accident in Washington, as stated in yesterday's Gazette, most fortunately escaped a dreadful death. He fell from the 3rd story of a house, but in his descent his foot caught in the loop of a rope and saved his life at the expense of a dislocated ankle.

While the steamer Express was discharging her cargo this morning one of her deck hands rolled a truck on which was a bag of coffee overboard. Both were rescued, the latter by a boy named Pat Duffy, who dived for it, but when it reached the surface its contents had been lost.

A handsome picture of General Washington, painted by the late Mr. G. W. P. Curtis, is now undergoing repairs at the cabinet factory of the Green Brothers, and will be presented through them to the City Council by Mrs. General R. E. Lee, and be hung in the chamber of the Common Council.

The Clerk of the Market carried out his determination of keeping the foot ways in the market house clear of boxes, barrels and baskets this morning—making the renters of the stalls keep all they had for sale exposed on their benches.

The steamer Wawaset took the drug clerks of Washington on an excursion down the river last night, and a Sunday-school from the same city on one to-day. She will leave on her regular Cone river trip to-morrow morning as usual.

Some of the German residents of the city spent yesterday pic-nicking at the dyke, on the opposite side of Hunting creek. Fishing and woodcock shooting afforded excellent sport and the day passed off in the most delightful manner.

A colored man named Ike, while dragging for coal that had fallen overboard at the wharves of the Hampshire and Baltimore canal company, early this morning, accidentally fell into the dock, but was speedily rescued.

Miss E. B. Garber, having withdrawn from Belle Haven Institute, a principal for that excellent and popular institution is wanted, as will be seen by reference to an advertisement in another column.

A fight took place yesterday evening on the street near the jail between two women named Susan Cross and Lony Dudley, in which finger nails and broom-sticks were used with remarkable dexterity.

Canal navigation was suspended for six hours yesterday by the washing out of a lock gate at Berlin, but boats were arriving and departing freely this morning.

A pile driver will leave here to-morrow to repair the wharves on the Potomac, and to build wharves at Blackstone's Island and at Marshall's, on St. George's Island.

Messrs. Michael Bossart and Henry Herber killed nine woodcock in a short time at Carlin's Springs yesterday.

The finance committee of the City Council met yesterday evening and organized by the election of Mr. Lewis McKenzie as Chairman.

Mysterious hints are conveyed by way of London that the Exhibition building at Vienna will be burned soon, and the correspondent of one English newspaper intimates that an attempt has already been made to fire it. What possible reason there can be for desiring the destruction of the edifice and its valuable contents in such a manner is not stated.

The death is announced of Thomas D. Baird, L. L. D., principal and professor of philosophy in the Baltimore City College, which took place yesterday, after a few weeks' illness. He was in the fifty-fourth year of his age, and had held his position as head of the City College for some 15 years.

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N. B. A large stock of SUMMER GOODS on hand. Selling at a great reduction on former prices. jy 10-1w

NOTICE.

At a meeting of the Republican County Committee of Alexandria County, held June 18, 1873, a resolution was adopted to hold a County Convention on SATURDAY, July 10th, 1873, at 12 o'clock m., at the COURT HOUSE, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State General Convention to be held at Lynchburg July 31st, 1873.

The several wards of the city and townships of Alexandria County are entitled to representation as follows:

1st ward, 6 delegates; 2d ward, 5; 3d ward, 10; 4th ward, 7; Jefferson township, 2; Arlington township, 3; Washington township, 2.

It is recommended that the Republican voters of Alexandria County meet in their respective wards and townships and elect delegates to the said convention. By order of the Committee: I. C. O'NEAL, Chairman.

L. D. HARMON, Secretary. jy 7-td

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Jno. W. WILDMAN, County Sup't.

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